

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Jun Yonemitsu et al.
Serial No. : 09/522,786
Filed : March 7, 2000
For : OPTICAL DISK AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING AND THEN PLAYING INFORMATION BACK FROM THAT DISK
Art Unit : 2786

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

745 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10151
Tel. (212) 588-0800



Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	* 66	Minus	** 66 =	* 0 x	\$18 (9)	= \$
Independent claims	* 4	Minus	*** 4 =	* 0 x	\$78(39)	= \$
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$

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** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
*** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$250(125) has been previously paid __, or is paid herewith __.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a -month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$__ is attached, which covers the cost of __ additional claims __ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$__ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Respectfully submitted,

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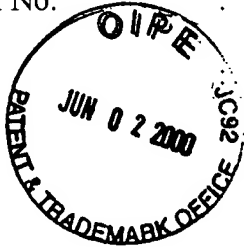
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to its examination, please amend the above-entitled application as follows: